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Diplomatic View of the Return of the Lasker Resolutions.

A Vote on the Mexican Treaty Expected To-day.

Chances of the Passage of the Morrison Tariff Bill.

General Mackenzie.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Now that the condition of General Mackenzie is known to be hopeless, and his retirement has been decided upon, the selection of his successor is beginning to attract attention. It is believed by the best authorities in army circles that General David S. Stanley, of the Twenty-second Infantry, will be promoted. Stanley stands third in the list of colonels of the line, with Gibbon, of the Seventh, and Wilcox, of the Twelfth Infantry, above him. Both of these officers are candidates for promotion, and it is known that Gibbon's claims will be earnestly pressed. Ruger of the Eighteenth Infantry, Hatch of the Ninth Cavalry, Grierson of the Tenth Cavalry, Merritt, who is commandant at West Point, and E. S. Otis, who is in command of the school at Leavenworth, are all actively recommended, and General Grant is understood to have interested himself in Merritt's promotion.

Of all the officers named Stanley appears to have the most backing thus far, and it is believed that General Sheridan will recommend him. No officer in the army has a better record, and his executive capacity is said to be superior to that of any other candidate.

Gibbon's record is as good as that of Stanley, and he has done brilliant service in Indian campaigns since the war, having received serious wounds in Montana several years ago.

Ruger is also highly thought of, both because of his military record and executive capacity. Both he and Stanley are known to be stalwart republicans, while Gibbon is an outspoken and bitter democrat; but army officers say that with President Arthur political influence has never been so powerful in military promotions and details as social influence.

Mackenzie's promotion, was well as that of Miles, are known to have been secured largely through social influence. In the former case, although Mackenzie was a deserving officer, he was lifted over a large number of colonels who were equally deserving, chiefly because he had friends who were intimate at the White House. The prevailing opinion in the army was that Hunt or Getty were entitled to the promotion, and it is believed that the president in this instance will not repeat what he afterward realized was a mistake.

Even with General Grant's influence Merritt's chances are considered very poor, as he stands number 20 in the list of colonels, and it is not thought that the president will promote him over so many eligible men that stand over him.

The Morrison Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Among the expedients to be resorted to by the republican side to defeat the Morrison tariff bill will be to insist upon considering the different schedules by items. Mr. Kasson is preparing a detailed comparison of the bill last year with the pending bill, so as to be able to point out the differences, and each item of reduction from the beginning to the end of the bill will be discussed and fought by the protectionists. They thus hope to be able to indefinitely postpone final action on the bill. A prominent leader on the republican side said to day that, with the exception of two or three, the republicans would be solid against the bill, but if the republicans are solid against the bill the democrats will be almost as unanimous in favor of it. A change of thirty-six votes would be required to defeat this bill, and it is not probable that thirty-six democrats would dare defy the party mandate. The bill was reported from the committee as a party measure, and it will go through the house as such. Randall will very likely dodge the issue, as he has done a number of times before, but he will not take any democrats with him. The bill will be reported to morrow, and as it has priority over other measures Mr. Morrison will insist on beginning the discussion. The postoffice appropriation bill will probably be out of the way by that time, so that the tariff will have easy sailing against Randall until another appropriation bill is called up.

The Lasker Resolution

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Correspondence with regard to the Lasker resolution sent to the house by the president to-day does not contain much matter or special interest that has not already been published. The last document of the series is a letter of Secretary Frelinghuysen to Minister Sargent dated to-day. The secretary writes: "The position and personal convictions to which he (Bismarck) alludes are matters affecting his excellency alone, and upon them it is not becoming that I make any remark further than to say that it does not occur to me how the transmission of the resolution would have involved an endorsement of the political views of Mr. Lasker. This government is not disposed to inquire into the relations between the different branches of another government. While the return of the resolutions is a matter of regret it is not one of concern to either branch of the government of the United States."

Mr. von Eisendecker, the German minister, said to an associated press reporter to-day that his government meant no disrespect. It was compelled for political reasons not to send the resolutions to the reichstag, and to retain it might have been construed as disrespectful.

Star Route Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—In the star route investigation to-day Gibson asserted that Bliss said he was going to run these cases in his own way. The ground of witness' difference of opinion was that a simple case, a case involving one or two routes, should be tried and not one involving 134 routes as did the case in which Dorsey was interested. Gibson gave his theory of the prosecution as follows: "In the first place in the investigation which was begun, the main object seemed to be to get as much as possible into the newspapers. The result was to raise the expectations of the public which were never realized. Dorsey was a disturbing element, owing to the fact that the gentleman who succeeded President Garfield had made a speech at a banquet in New York in which he eulogized him. For political reasons, I think it was determined to proceed against him without regard to the strength of the case." Cook will be examined to-morrow.

Caine's Argument.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Delegate Caine, of Utah, continued his argument to-day before the house committee on territories. He complained bitterly of the conduct of the present governor of Utah, whose real desire, he said, was not to stop polygamy but to bring about conflicts between the people there in order to plunder them. A majority of the people of the territory who were not Mormons, he said, had no ill feeling against those who were. It was only a ring of adventurers headed by Governor Murray, who had bad feelings for the Mormons. They desired confusion in the territory, as they had everything to gain and nothing to lose.

The Mexican Treaty.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The senate spent three hours in secret session to-day. Senator Van Wyck's resolution, offered several weeks ago, providing that the discussion of the Mexican treaty should be continued in open session, was taken up and after discussion left upon a viva voce vote. A considerable number of senators voted in the affirmative, but the yeas and nays were not demanded. The Mexican treaty was then taken up and the discussion which is described as being rather dull, occupied the remainder of the session. The opinion is expressed by senators that the treaty will be taken up after the morning business to morrow and a vote will be reached during the day.

XLVIII Congress.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Bills were introduced and referred:

Perkins Granting right of way through Indian territory to the St. Louis & Baxter Springs railroad company.

Broadhead—For carrying on improvement and repairs of rivers and harbors by contract.

Burnes Granting right of way through Indian territory to the St. Joseph & Rio Grande railroad company.

Tucker [by request]—Granting copyright to newspapers. This is identical with the bill introduced in the senate by Senator Sherman, and limits the time of copyrights to eight hours.

Deuster—A resolution reciting that the U. S. minister to Germany has been assailed by semi-official newspapers at Berlin and calling on the secretary of state for copies of any communications and official correspondence which he may have on this subject.

Payson A resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for information as to the excess of lands alleged to have been certified to the Burlington & Missouri River railroad.

Keifer, on the committee on appropriations reported back the military academy appropriation bill with the senate amendment, recommending concurrence in the amendment providing that any cadet dismissed for hazing will be ineligible for reappointment and concurrence in the other amendments. The recommendations were agreed to.

The speaker stated that the postoffice department asked leave to withdraw from the files of the house reports of special agents to investigate star route cases, as the papers sent were original papers. Leave was granted.

The house then proceed to consider measures relating to the District of Columbia. The senate bill to establish standard time in the district passed.

District business was temporarily laid aside to receive a message from the president, and Guenther asked that it be immediately read. The message was the mere transmittal without comment of documents received from the secretary of state relative to the resolution of the house on the death of Edward Lasker.

Hiscock immediately offered the following preamble and resolution, which were referred to the committee on foreign affairs:

WHEREAS, It has come to the knowledge of the house that a communication from it to the parliament of the German empire, entirely friendly in its character and sent through the regular channels of international communication, has been arbitrarily intercepted and returned by a person now holding the position of chancellor of the German empire; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this house cannot but express surprise and regret that it should be even temporarily within the power of a single too powerful subject to interfere with such a natural and spontaneous expression of kindly feeling between two great nations and thus to detract from the position and prestige of the crown on one hand and from the rights of the representatives of a great people on the other;

Resolved, That this house does hereby reiterate its expressions of sincere regret at the death of Edward Lasker and its sympathy with the parliament of the German empire, of which for many years he was a distinguished member.

Cassidy, of the committee on Pacific railroads, reported a bill to incorporate the Spokane Falls & Coeur d'Alene Railroad company. House calendar.

Adjourned.

SENATE.

Bills were reported favorably and placed on the calendar:

By Walker, from the committee on Indian affairs, to provide for the sale of the Cherokee reservation in Kansas.

Morgan, committee on public lands, to provide for the settlement of rights of states, persons and corporations interested in any grant of the land in aid of railroads and canals which shall hereafter be declared forfeited.

Jackson, committee on postoffices and post roads, to amend sections 3,929 and 4,041, revised statutes, authorizing the postmaster general to prohibit the delivery of registered letters and the payment of money orders and providing for return of the same

Maxey—To amend the act creating a northern United States district in Texas, to change eastern and western districts of said state, and provide for terms of holding court in said district.

Morgan, committee on pupic lands, submitted the views of the minority of that committee relative to the bill declaring forfeited grants of lands to the Texas Pacific railroad company.

Bills were introduced and referred:

By Ingalls, to authorize sale of the Kickapoo diminished reservation in Kansas.

The bill to provide a bureau of statistics of labor coming up as unfinished business it was debated until 2 o'clock, when it went over until to-morrow.

On motion of Plumb the pleuro-pneumonia bill was made special order for to-morow.

The senate went into executive session for consideration of the Mexican treaty, and when the doors reopened adjourned.

The War in Egypt.

LONDON, March 9. At Suakim it is reported that Osman's forces are breaking up, the tribes being unwilling to fight the English. The scouts report the country is clear as far as Tamineb. Osman Digna is missing. All who are remaining faithful to him are at Sinkat, where he will make a final stand. Gen. Graham's orders are to make Tamineb the limit of his advance.

General Graham telegraphs that he will begin his march against Osman Digna on Tuesday at daybreak. He has already pushed his cavalry forward on Handorf. Many Arab deserters from Tamineb are arriving.

SUAKIM, March 9. Osman Digna refuses to surrender to General Graham and is determined to fight. He has two cannon and 1,000 rifles.

SUAKIM, March 10. General Graham's advance has been postponed until Wednesday owing to the necessity of forming water depots on the route to Tamineb. Osman Digna has left Sinkat at the head of 4000 men to defend Tamineb. Arabs in bodies continue to arive here under flags of truce. It is expected the fight will take place Friday. If Osman Digna is defeated the British will advance to Sinkat.

Gordon Anxious.

KHARTOUM, March 10. General Gordon advises the appointment of Zohebr Pasha to succeed himself as governor of the Soudan. He thinks Zohebr, if adequately supported, would dispose of the Mahdi within a year. He strongly denounces the proposed British expedition to reconquer the Soudan, and expresses deep anxiety about the situation of Khartoum. Unless the British act promptly in regard to the Zohebr appointment the victory of Graham will, he thinks, have been useless bloodshed. He does not believe in sending further telegrams. It is no longer a question of days but of hours.

It is reported that Sheik Obeid on the other side of the Blue Nile, has risen. If this is true the telegraph wires will be cut forthwith. It is improbable that the rebels will attack Khartoum. They will try to starve the city into submission.

Boss Wins.

LONDON, March 10.—The race between George Bubear, the well known English oarsman, and Wallace Ross, the famous New Brunswick sculler, occurred this morning. The distance rowed was four miles and two furlongs over the regular Thames course from Putney to Mortlake. Ross conceded Bubear ten seconds. The betting was Ross 5, Bubear 4. At Hammersmith the boats were nearly even. The race was won by the American by six lengths.

After passing Hammersmith Ross led in spite of the exertion of Bubear and came in easily. Time, 26 minutes and 10 seconds. The contest was virtually over at Hammersmith. Ross paddled home 15 lengths ahead of Bubear. Great crowds thronged the banks of the river.

Killed by a Snow Slide

SALT LAKE, March 9.—At 7.30 on Friday night a snow slide half a mile wide, extending from the summit down at Alta, swept away the works of the new Emma mine, killing Gus Lybecker, foreman, D. D. Wasson, machinist, and his brother; Samuel Prethers, Charles Calgreen and wife, Edward Crocket, Lottie Pleon, O. J. Johnson, N. S. Delano, Williard Stephenson, John Richardson. The bodies have all been recovered except one. This was the worst slide that was ever known in the Litte Cottonwood, the snow piling forty feet high. The damage to the mine amounts to $15,000. The storm was too bad to permit the rescuers to bring the bodies down. Of the killed several leave families. The Wasson brothers are from near Fort Henry, New York. The friends of the others are unknown. George Collins, superintendent of the mine, came down today, bringing the first news of the disaster.

Railroad Washouts

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The Colorado division of the Southern Pacific is badly washed for six miles west of Daggett. There is one break of fifteen hundred feet, two others of eight hundred. On the Northern division the Fresno bridge is impassable. Passengers are transferred. Freight is accumulating at Deming. If repairs of the road are delayed the effect on business will be serious. Southern wires are again down.

Bishop Clarkson Dead.

CHICAGO, March 10—The Daily News' Omaha, Neb, special says: Bishop Robert H. Clarkson died at 1 o'clock this morning.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Rev. Mr. Gregg's Sermon on the Liquor Question.

How the Law Breakers Should be Dealt With.

Our Prohibitory Laws--Temperance Agitation.

Rev. James B Gregg, pastor of the Congregational church, took for his text last Sunday evening a portion of the 21st verse of the 13th chapter of Nehemiah:

"If ye do so again I will lay hands on you."

The occasion upon which these words were spoken was this: About twenty-three hundred years ago there was at the court of the king of Persia a captive Jew. He was possessed with eminent ability, and was endowed with a strong character. Although he was highly honored by the Persian king, yet he was not at ease, he longed to be where all the influences might make towards bringing him and the chosen people of God nearer to their maker, so he begged permission from the Persian monarch to return to his native home together with those of his people who might be disposed to accompany him. Having obtained the king's permission he departed from Persia, and having crossed barren deserts he found himself at last in his own native city of Jerusalem which had been almost destroyed. He set himself to encourage the people, and to rebuild the walls of the city. With great effort the walls of the city were rebuilt, the people were gathered together, and the laws were read to them, the city was organized to the service of God. Although things had gone very prosperously for the Hebrew ruler, his difficulties were not at an end. Hardly had the new community started on a fresh career, when there came people who were determined to break laws which Nehemiah had established, the laws regarding the keeping of the Sabbath in particular. But Nehemiah arose to vigorous action. Every Friday evening the gates of the city were closed, and no traffic in merchandise was allowed upon the next day. While the evil was thus amended yet it was not wholly cured, there was a great deal of surreptitious trading carried on outside of the walls on the Sabbath. But on the third Sabbath Nehemiah arose and said to these law-breakers: "If ye do so again I will lay hands on you." And he adds with grim satisfaction, "from that time forth came they no more on the Sabbath." History repeats itself. Twelve years ago the founders of this city, seeing in eastern cities the evil effects of the traffic in liquor, determined to build up a town of nobler manners, and purer laws, than their former homes. So they put a clause in every deed which provided that if liquor was sold on any property which had belonged to the Colorado Springs company, the property would revert back to its primary owner, namely: The Colorado Springs company. This law was further corroborated by the enactments of the city council. Just as Nehemiah found people coming to break the law against Sabbath breaking, so in the early history of this town the saloon came in. But the citizens arose, and the question was carried from court to court until it reached the supreme court of the United States, which decided that the law was valid. But when the saloons had been banished a surreptitious traffic was inaugurated; the drug stores became practically saloons. We know how this evil has gone on increasing until the present time. What answer shall we make to those who thus without discrimination sell liquor and defy public sentiment. There is but one answer to make, namely that of Nehemiah, "If ye do so again I will lay hands on you." While I counsel these stringent measures, I cherish no personal animosity towards any of these gentlemen who are engaged in this traffic in this town. If these gentlemen cannot earn in this town an honorable and competent living without engaging in this traffic, I would say to them "the world is large enough for us all." They may go to other places where, by the exercise of half the ingenuity and enterprise which they have shown here in evading the law, they can be successful in legitimate business. I urge a stringent dealing with these men. First, because it is reasonable that they should be dealt with sharply. These gentlemen know the law; they have known it all along. They need not have come here to engage in the liquor traffic. The world, as I said a moment ago, is large enough for us all. If they believe in that business and wish to exercise it, there are places to which they can go. There is no earthly reason why they should complain if the laws are enforced, and I hope they will be enforced. The only manly thing for them to do is to come out squarely and take the punishment they deserve. Where the law is thoroughly understood, if men go forward systematically and defiantly to disobey it, as I said before, there is no earthly reason for them to complain if the penalty of breaking the law is put upon them. Some persons complain that it is a very mean and underhanded thing to employ detectives in order to obtain evidence that will convict the law breakers Suppose our First National bank was broken into to-night and robbed of $20,000, do you think that the directors would have any squeamishness about employing detectives to work up the case and bring the law breakers to justice? I trow not. Common sense declares that secret methods of law breaking must be met with secret methods of law enforcing. In the second place I urge that these law breakers should be dealt with sharply, because such dealing is in accordance with law. It is very foolish to represent that this movement is a movement of temperance fanatics. Rather it is in accordance with the fundamental law of the town, a law which has been declared valid, not by temperance fanatics, but by the intelligent, cool-headed, and unprejudiced judges of the supreme court of the United States. In the third place I urge these law breakers be dealt with sharply, because the law is based on sound sense. If any law is not based on sound sense, sooner or later it must go; but if any law is based on sound sense, sooner or later it will become permanently established and permanently obeyed. This law against the selling of liquor is based on sound sense. It is often argued that prohibitory legislation is akin to sumptuary legislation and is an interference with personal liberty. But observe carefully, the law forbidding the sale of liquor does not interfere with the personal liberty of any one. It is not the drinking of liquor which is prohibited, but its sale. The fundamental and statutory law of this town does not hinder any man from drinking liquor, but it does forbid him to sell it. The law recognizes that the sale of dangerous articles may be regulated. Now I appeal to every one here to night for an honest and sincere answer to this question: Does not the sale of liquors in this country work incalculably more injury than does either the sale of gunpowder, nitro glycerine, dynamite, etc. We all know this to be true by what we have seen and heard.

Mr. Gladstone, though not a total abstainer himself, says that the sale of intoxicating liquors has injured the Anglo-Saxon race in England and America more than famine, war or pestilence. Again I would have the law against liquor selling enforced, because the use of liquor is upon the whole physiologically hurtful. The steady movement of law is in the direction of suppressing the sale of adulterated and injurious articles of food and drink. President Jacob Green, of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company, says that from what he has gathered from his long experience in the line of life insurance, he can safely say the death rate of persons insured in our various companies is more profoundly affected by the use of intoxicating drink than by any other causes, hereditary causes excepted. In looking at the reasonableness of the law which we are seeking to enforce, we should add that the law is a reasonable one because the selling of liquor is in violation of the law of love. If you will trace the history of legislative enactments you will find that the welfare of humanity at large is more and more regarded in legislation. Years ago when the slave holders possessed large numbers of slaves it was held by some people that it was wrong to deprive them of their property, but by force of arms the evil of slavery was swept away from our land; and so it is going to be in this question of prohibition. The question of how to deal with the property interests involved in the liquor traffic is a perplexing question, but in some way it will be solved, for the issues at stake are moral issues, and whenever a great popular agitation turns upon a question of morals, in the end truth and righteousness are sure to prevail. And now in conclusion let us ask, How shall we enforce the laws? First, by staying up the hands of our executive and judicial officers. They deserve our support; let us render it loyally and heartily. Secondly, let us create a public sentiment against liquor selling by holding public meetings to agitate the question of temperance. Let there be a revival of temperance in our midst. I believe in revivals of political righteousness, I believe in civil service revivals, and I believe in temperance revivals. Let me suggest that we can enforce the law by helping up the fallen. Some of the men who are most desirous of seeing the laws against liquor enforced are men who are in the habit of drinking day by day, and have not the power to resist the appetite for strong drink. We can also help to enforce the law by observing a strict personal abstinence from intoxicating liquors. No young man when he begins to drink knows where he is going to end. It is a very dangerous road on which to travel. If a man is not willing to avoid intoxicating drink for his own sake, let him do it for the sake of others. Finally we can help to enforce the law by insisting that the law shall be obeyed, and by holding our ground firmly and saying to these law-breakers, "If ye do so again I will lay hands on you." Men and brethern, I wonder how men can engage in this traffic and can continue in it. There are multitudes of homes throughout the length and breadth of our land, which are full of sorrow and anguish, because the father, the son, the brother will drink, and there are men who will sell it to him. Oh, what a record it is which every liquor seller is writing for himself, to look at in the years to come. I wonder that men can continue in this horrible traffic. I call to mind the words of our Saviour uttered amid the pain and anguish of the cross, "Father forgive them, for they know not what they do." We must stop this traffic for the sake of our homes, for the sake of our children, for the future of this city, for the future of this state, and for the future of this world. This city of ours is a city set on a hill that cannot be hid. How many persons come here from different parts of our land; what a place in which to establish temperance principles. What a shame if we do not establish them. Let us call to mind the words of the Hebrew prophet Habakkuk: "Woe to him that buildeth a town with blood, and establisheth a city with iniquity."

KANSAS CATTLE.

Description of the Disease Prevailing in Kansas.

Measures to be Taken by the State to Stamp it Out.

Cattle Growers of Wyoming Fear its Spread.

Kansas Cattle Troubles

TOPEKA, March 10.—The foot and mouth disease now raging among the cattle in Woodson county seems to have attracted the attention of the people to a more or less alarming extent all over Kansas and even adjoining states. Correspondence and telegrams are constantly pouring in upon Governor Glick making inquiries regarding the malady and what is being done to stamp out and prevent its further spread. Several requests have come from citizens in different parts of the state asking his excellency to call a special session of the legislature but that is not likely to be done. Notice would have to be given and there are several vacancies in the list of representatives and senators that ought to be filled. A telegram was received from Congressman-elect Funston to-day in which he stated that he is on the ground and recommends that the legislature be called at once on this subject.

TOPEKA, March 10.—The ravages of the foot and mouth disease among cattle in the vicinity of Neosho Falls are more serious than were anticipated, and large numbers of cattle are affected in Woodson and Greenwood counties. Though it is as yet confined to a district within a radius of five miles around Neosho Falls, it has been decided to closely quarantine the affected locality. The farmers and stock-breeders are thoroughly alarmed, and will spare no effort to prevent the spread of the dreaded disease. Governor Glick is a prominent stock-raiser, and is devoting himself to the assistance of the farmers where the plague exists. He says the symptoms of the disease are first manifested by the peculiar actions of the affected animals. About the third or fourth day after the exposure to the contagion the animal may be seen rubbing its head violently against a tree or post, and in walking it jerks its feet upward spasmodically, like a horse with spring-halt. A fever ensues, and in a few days the circulation of the blood in the feet apparently stops and the limbs become almost lifeless. The animal's mouth becomes very sore, evidently from the fever, and remains so for some time. In two or three weeks from the manifestation of the first symptoms the hoof comes off, and in most cases the foot itself breaks off at the hock joint. Frequently all four of the feet break off at the joint. Very few of the animals die of the disease, but of course they become worthless and have to be killed. The public meeting at Neosho Falls on Thursday evening favored calling an extra session of the legislature to take some action in regard to the subject, and to make an appropriation to aid the stricken counties. It is not likely, however, that the governor will take such a step as he thinks the present situation will hardly warrant the extra session. The governor is of the opinion that $5,000 judiciously expended will effectually stamp out the disease, and he favors the calling together of the State Stock association to raise the necessary funds, which will probably be done. Secretary Sims, of the state board of agriculture, and the United States veterinary surgeon of Fort Leavenworth are at Neosho Falls to make further investigations to assist in the quarantine regulations. It is reported on the streets that the disease has appeared in two additional counties of this state, but the governor has received no such information.

WYOMING CATTLE MEN ALARMED.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 10.—The appearance of the foot and mouth cattle disease in Maine and Kansas creates great alarm among cattle men of west Wyoming. The Stock Growers' association will take immediate steps to quarantine the territory and exterminate affected cattle should the disease appear in this territory. The association have legal authority and indemnity funds will be raised for the purpose. The association have also dispatched to the governors of adjoining states and territories urging the enforcement of quarantine regulations against affected cattle and the infected district and extermination of the disease by the destruction of animals should the disease break out in their respective states and territories. Governor Hale of this territory is in hearty accord with the association and will use full legal authority to protect this territory against the disease.

The Whisky Interests.

LOUISVILLE, March 10. A large meeting of whisky men was held here this afternoon. Some indignation was expressed at the delays of congress in taking up the whisky bill. There was a very decided expression of opinion that the bill would finally pass. In the meantime it was deemed important that the trade should protect itself against loss if the bill should not pass. A plan was proposed of getting the banks here to take warehouse receipts of an export company that should be formed here for exportation of whisky to British ports in the islands of the West Indies. This was regarded necessary in order to save the tax on January whisky which must come out of bond in the next 20 days. The plan met with general approval. A committee of seven was appointed to look into the matter. A dispatch was received from Cincinnati asking the whisky exchange to send the committee to that city to arrange for holding a mass meeting to take action on the refusal of congress to take up the bill. A committee was appointed.

Miss Hill's Marriage Contract.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The Sharon-Hill divorce trial began to-day. After opening statements by counsel of both sides, Martha Wilson, dressmaker, a colored woman was called and testified that the marriage contract produced in court was the one Miss Hill showed her in 1880.

On cross-examination Mrs. Wilson said she couldn't read, but the contract was the same she had seen and recognized certain marks on the paper. Miss Hill had frequently told her Sharon was crazy to marry her. Adjourned till to-morrow.

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Charles Foster has openly declared for Sherman, which intimates that Sherman will have Ohio behind him in the convention

Ex Senator Oglesby will be successful in getting the republican nomination for governor of Illinois. This is the year that Senator Logan does not dare to snub

We print at the head of our local column the call for the prohibition primaries to elect delegates to a city convention There should be a good deal of thinking before then so that we may have the best men available in the council

The republicans of Louisiana seem to have nominated a very good state ticket. Mr Stephenson, the candidate for governor, is a sugar planter of character and influence He said in a recent interview —'I consider the 'ticket a good one, and it has been selected "with great care with a view to the solidity 'and respectability of the men who have an in "terest in the state I consider my chances of "election remarkably good I know they will "have the effect of concentrating the republi- "can party, and I hope to receive support from 'the democrats that are displeased with their "party." The candidate for lieutenant governor is an independent republican

A year ago Senator Tabor's night shirt made Colorado famous This year Mr Belford s tongue is bringing to us full as much fame and credit. He is frequently noticed in the eastern press The following is from the Nation

Mr. Belford, of Colorado is a terrible but illogical fellow He made a ferocious attack on the West Point Academy last week because it does not admit very ignorant boys and exclaimed with what he thought was destructive force "What in God's name has grammar got to do with with fighting battles" He has since then had a quarrel with Mr Cobb the chairman of the public lands committee, of which he (Mr Belford) is a member, in the course of which Mr Cobb expressed a desire to have the gentleman from Colorado shut his jaw, or he would shut it for him To this 'indecent remark' Mr Belford makes answer that he will not allow any man to bulldoze him, and especially a man who would spell Rhode Island with a little r and leave out the h He further adds that he is prepared for Cobb now and that if he ever attempts to shut his jaw for him the the committee on public lands will require a new chairman But we ask what in thunder has spelling to do with shutting jaws? Why should Mr Belford allow a man who spells Rhode Island correctly to shut his jaw for him any more readily than a man who begins with a small r and leaves out the h? Is not this a disgusting concession to the claims of knowledge When a man feels in this way about spelling, what security can we have that he will not soon truckle to grammar or even arithmetic Our rule would be to allow no man, however gifted or accomplished, to shut our jaw for us

PERSONAL

An Ohio physician is preparing a medical lexicon in forty-two languages

Chambers Encyclopedia does not mention President Martin Van Buren

At Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is a society for the prevention of cruelty to b urders

New York City is to have a college for women as soon as the necessary money can be raised.

Congressman Kelley of Philadelphia, left his daughter Florence in Europe where she will remain for some time as the rather lively and entertaining correspondent of one of the Washington newspapers

Dr Oliver Wendell Holmes now 75 goes over to Cambridge once a month and charms the medical students with his chat about old college men and days He is still sprightly and wears well his advancing years

General David H Hill who has a record dating from the Mexican war and in the Confederate army, has just resigned the presidency of the Arkansas Industrial University at Lafayette a position he has held since 1877

Henry Irving s latest utterance about America is that he is very much in love with the country especially with Chicago, but that he thinks the distance from one point to another altogether too great and his journeys have been long and tiresome.

Mr Barton Grindrod the great elephant dealer, says that in 1871 eleven elephants were shipped in the Nehemiah Gibson for New York, of which ten arrived safely and one died on the passage to New York The cost of the eleven in elephant land was £4 5 The highest price paid was $31 for a female elephant Hebe

Dominoparties are fashionable entertainments in Boston the ladies but not the gentlemen wearing masks At one entertainment a young gentleman was flirting desperately with a domino when to his astonishment the voice behind the mask said 'Why Bobby where did you learn such frightful things?' The domino proved to be his mother

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

British troops at Suakim are suffering from the heat

Indications for Colorado—Colder, generally fair weather

Weston finishes his 5 000 mile tramp in England this week

Snow and wind are reported in Dakota and Minnesota, delaying trains.

Gladstone is suffering from catarrh and is confined to his room

The republican convention of Texas will be held at Ft Worth on April 29th

There are rumors of Fenian threats against persons and property at Ottawa

The French troops have advanced fifteen kilometres in the direction of Bacninh

The British government declines to permit Turkey to interfere in Egypt at present

Native hill tribes in the north of Burmah have revolted and are devastating the lower plains

Chicago lines will this week issue through freight tariffs in connection with the Northern Pacific

The worst snow storm of the season has been prevailing in northern Vermont since last Saturday

The barbed wire manufacturers have consolidated under the name of the National Barbed Wire company

Another heavy rainfall is reported from California The Santa Clara valley is a vast lake, eighteen miles wide

George Buckland, the popular English lecturer, and William Blanchard Jerrold the well-known journalist, are dead

It is believed that the anarchists of Paris will hold their mass meeting March 18, but they maintain secrecy in regard to it.

Lumber men representing $8 000,000 capital protest against that portion of the Morrison bill which places lumber on the free list.

Berlin newspapers are absorbed in discussing the rise of a new political party formed by the union of secessionists and progressionists

A conference of oil exchanges is in session at Oil City discussing the transfers of the United Pipe lines to the National Transit company

During the past eight months the demand for postal cards has fallen off, while the two cent stamps and stamped envelopes find increased sale

Charles Kosten was found dead in bed at Elgin, Ill, yesterday from the effects of coal gas His wife and two children are in a precarious condition

The Deming train robbers broke jail Sunday night. They were overtaken by a sheriff's posse Two were killed, one wounded and the rest captured

A disposition is manifested to lynch the prisoner Hall, who is in jail at Lincoln, Ill, charged with the triple murder at Mount Pulaski one year ago

The present rise in the Ohio at Pittsburg will float out 3,500,000 bushels of coal for the consumers along the lower river—making about 10 000 car loads

Perryman has assumed the duties of chief the Cherokees His opponents are dissatisfied but they will take no action until Spioche returns from Washington

A great meeting of nihilists and socialists was held at Geneva yesterday ostensibly to express sympathy with refugees and raise funds to carry out their movements

Every green glass manufactory in Pittsburg, with a single exception has its fires lighted after an eight months' fruitless struggle with the workmen for a reduction of wages

Postmaster Tiffany, of Bennington Vt died yesterday while government officers were making an examination of the affairs of his office at the request of his bondsmen

Carl Schurz and Joseph A Choate, law partner of William M Evarts, were with half a dozen other gentlemen added to the independent republican executive committee

It is rumored that serious news has been received in Paris regarding the French advance upon Bacninh The government's silence upon the subject causes great irritation

Oliver Dyer, jr remains unconscious from injuries received in a sparring match on Saturday with Robt Bradford Williams Both are Yale students Williams is a colored youth

Melvine Thompson of Cleveland, defeated Cae Smith the colored pugilist of Saginaw, Michigan in the eighth round Ross renews his challenge to back Thompson against anybody in the world

Peter Schultz the Chicago contractor, who choked his wife to death ten days ago, committed suicide in his cell yesterday by tying a cord about his neck and drawing it with his hands until strangled

A man named Swearinger who lives at Jefferson City, Missouri, confesses that he was hired by Superintendent Frazier, of the Pittsfield, Illinois, poor house, to bring Mary Maloney to Denver and desert her

In the wrestling match at New York last night between Edwin Bibby and Matsada Sorakichi, the Japanese champion, for $500 a side and governed by Japanese rules, the Jap won four straight falls and was awarded the prize

The English foreign office has sent dispatches to the British minister at Washington in regard to dynamite outrages, intended as a basis of overtures with the United States government, but no communication on the subject of any kind has yet been received by Minister Lowell

SUNDAY HAPPENINGS

The explosion of a dynamite cartridge in the Lyons custom house killed an official

A package addressed to the Comte Du Paris was examined at Lyons, and an infernal machine was revealed

The remains of Jerome J Collins, of the Jeannette expedition, were interred with imposing ceremonies at Cork

A collision on the Kansas City, St Joe and Council Bluffs road wrecked two engines and a baggage car and injured three trainmen

Alfred Ballard while under arrest for drunkenness, shot and killed his custodian, City Marshal Van Doren, of Wilmington, Ohio

A snow slide in Little Cottonwood canon, Utah, killed twelve persons and caused $15,000 damages to the Emma Mining company's property

An effort was made by State Constable Rochburg, with a posse, to capture W R Cash in Chesterfield county, South Carolina for the murder of the town marshal of Cheraw. A portion of the family were caught but he escaped

In Behalf of Hawthorne

Those who administer upon an author s literary effects exhibit a coarse nature which proves their unfitness for the task In their eagerness for profitable book making, they surrender themselves to mere book sellers instincts and the monetary materialism of the shop How would Hawthorne, a man of the most exquisite sensibility and of so shrinking and retiring a nature that it really seems a wonder that he ever published at all—how would he have relished all these liberties which have been taken with his name and fame? Not a book of his, it is safe to say which has been published since his death would have been printed by himself Nine volumes out of the twenty-four of the collected edition have thus been given to the world. We leave it to those who have studied Mr Hawthorne s genius with loving admiration to determine how much—of this mass of nil cell neous matter he would—himself have printed We see little room for conjecture Nor can we rid ourselves of the conviction that if he could have foreseen this eagerness to put the very sweepings of his study into print he would have taken effectual measures to prevent it Did his representatives care nothing for what might have been his own wishes His literary reputation may not have suffered—his was a genius too admirable for that, time, too, will set the matter right with the next generation, but what will the next generation say of us who gratified our curiosity at his expense, who tempted his own children into this conspiracy against his fame, and whose love of literary amusement made this injustice to the dead possible

The Misuse of French

Of the many amusing stories in circulation and turning on an English misuse of French the most popular is perhaps the anecdote in which one of two gentlemen occupying an apartment in Paris leaves word with the concierge that he does not wish his fire to go out, as he unfortunately expresses this desire in the phrase, 'Ne laissez pas sortir le fou," much inconvenience results to the other gentleman, who is detained in the apartment as a dangerous lunatic This plesant tale has in its time been fathered on many famous Englishmen And like unto it is another which Americans are wont to place to the credit of a cockney while the English are sure that its true hero was a Yankee both parties acting on the old principle of 'putting the Frenchman up the chimney when they tell the story in England" The story goes that a certain Anglo-Saxon—for thus we may avoid international complications—entered into a Paris ian restaurant with intent to eat, drink and be merry Wishing to inform the waiter of his hunger he said, 'J'ai une femme!' to which the polite but astonished waiter naturally responded 'J'espere que madame se porte bien?' Whereupon the Anglo-Saxon makes a second attempt at the French for hunger, and asserts 'Je suis fameux'' to which the waiter's obvious reply is 'Je suis bein aise de le savoir, monsieur'' Then the Anglo-Saxon girded up his loins and made a final effort, and declared, 'Je femme' to which the waiter could answer only, 'Alors madame s'habille d'une facon tres etrange" After which the Anglo-Saxon fled, and was seen no more

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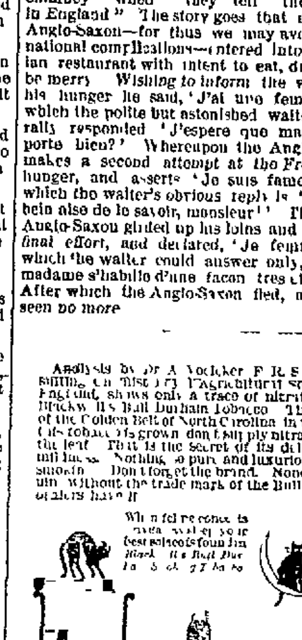

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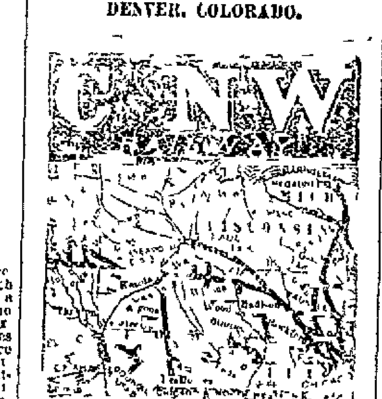

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Pope-Tennyson

"Pope," said Mr [illegible] in opening the meeting of the class in literature Monday evening, "is the leader among poets of the artificial school His father was a parish linen draper, comfortably off, who found no better way of disposing of his fortune than keeping it in cash form in a strong box and drawing from it to supply daily needs This might be called a necessity of the times as kings had been known to levy upon sums put out at interest by private individuals, and investments were anything but secure The treasure of the chest were in a great measure consumed before young Pope inherited it He was a sickly lad with a precocious admiration for Dryden, whose verses he read and re-read, who was his master and model The day when the elder poet, then in the height of his notoriety, was pointed out to Pope was an era in his youth Before Pope was twelve he had written his "Ode on Solitude." The "Rape of the Lock" the most airy and exquisite example of mock heroic verse which the English tongue can afford, was composed in compliance with the wish of a friend, who desired that he should attempt to effect, by means of a ludicrous poem, a reconciliation between the families of Lord Petre and Miss Fermor, who had in reality fallen out over the theft of the tress of which the poet treats

Sixty years before, in the same city, Milton had sold his "Paradise Lost" for a few pounds, but Pope received £3,000 for his translation of Homer Smooth and polished, it yet lacks the spirit and rough eloquence of the Greek "It is a pretty poem, Mr Pope," said Bentley, the eminent Greek scholar, "but it is not Homer" Upon the interest of the sum just mentioned Pope lived, his detractors he now had leisure to settle with in the stinging pages of the "Dunciad" His infirmities, his canvas stays and flannel swathings, his Twickenham villa and grotto are public property in his biographies but it is not so well known that under his roof he sheltered his mother for many years with loving care

Tennyson's "Palace of Art" came next in order and was read by Mr Gregg, with questions and answers interspersed The legend of St Cecilia to whom reference was made in the poem, was also read One synopsis of the idea of the "Palace of Art" was handed in as request for such had been made at the last meeting Mr Gregg then read the "Northern Cobbler" which was discussed by the class The reading was much enjoyed by those present, the dialect being admirably given in the North England idiom, with a touch of the "Danish burr," so often mentioned by our historians, which yet lingers in the land north of the Humber

He said of himself that he was a "little spider" but the little insect spun gorgeous webs of imagination

In conclusion, Mr Gregg read several of Robert Browning's Royalist lyrics and other shorter poems by the same author, Tennyson's "Ode on the Death of the Duke of Wellington," "Dreams of Fair Women," and the "Northern Farmer" (old and new style), will form the subjects of the next meeting This will be postponed on account of the entertainment of tableaux, etc., to be given by the ladies of the Congregational church next Monday evening, and will probably take place on Thursday.

County Court.

At the opening of county court yesterday morning there was a hearing of the motion presented by B. Lowe, the attorney for defence in the case of the People vs J B Casaday and Mrs. Mary B. Cassday. It was held by Mr Lowe that the court did not have jurisdiction in the case on the ground that it was a criminal not a civil action It was also held that the process was not properly entitled, futhermore that the ordinace under which the complaint had been made was not set forth in full. The motion was overruled by the court. An application for a change of venue was then demanded.

In the afternoon the cases of Baxter vs Hecker was called This is a breach of promise and an alleged seduction suit and damages are placed at $2,000 John Campbell acted as attorney for plaintiff and Messrs Knapp and Benton for the defendant. A demurrer was argued involving the jurisdiction of the court and the legality of the process, which was overruled A change of venue was called for and time given until 3 p m on Wednesday.

Northern Pacific Land Grant

CHICAGO, March 10 A New York special to the Chicago Inter Ocean says E V Smalley, who has devoted his attention for several years to the northwestern territory, said to-day, speaking of the proposed forfeiture of Northern Pacific land grants "The house committee on public lands has manifested a disposition from the first to make a general assault on all land grant railroads for political effect. The democratic members especially thought they could make a popular issue for the presidential campaign out of the question of taking away land granted long since by congress, to stimulate railroad construction in the west. One republican member, who seems to be something of a crank on the subject, has joined this movement. Last session the whole question was before the judiciary committee on its legal aspects and that committee reported the Northern Pacific land grant to be non forfeitable. This session the committee on public lands seized upon all the railroad bills, knowing that if they went to the judiciary committee they would be considered from a legal point of view, and that the demagogues in the house could not take advantage of them for political purposes The public lands committee, in its vote on the Northern Pacific bill, stood seven to four for a forfeiture of all lands earned since July, 1870, but Delegate Brents, of Washington, was refused the right to vote, although the precedents of the house gave territorial delegates the same rights in committee proceedings as to members. It would not be at all surprising to [illegible] if the forfeiture bill would pass the house under the gag of the previous question, owing to the desire of the democratic majority to get hold of something which they think might be made a popular issue in the west. By the west I do not mean the country tributary to the Northern Pacific line, because the people there have already expressed themselves through the newspapers and by the action of boards of trade, as apposed to any disturbance of the grant, knowing that their own prosperity depends largely on the prosperity of the railroad They realize, too, that any congressional action to rescind the grant would only result in throwing the question into the courts, and, by prolonging a doubt as to the ownership of the land, would seriously interfere with emigration and settlement In the nearer west, where the people have got their railroads a cry against land grants might, perhaps have some popular force "

"What is the attitude of the Northern Pacific company at Washington?"

"The company, I understand, takes very high ground It claims that it has lawfully earned, under its contract with the government all the grant along its completed road, and that it has the right to go on and earn the remainder of the grant on the Cascade and Columbia River divisions, and further, that congress has no power to take any part of the grant away from it"

"On what do they base this claim?"

"On the fact that there is no forfeiture clause in the charter"

"Did not congress fix a time when the road should be completed?"

"It did, and then it went on to specify what it might do in case the company failed to complete the road by that time declaring that in case the company made any breach of the conditions named, the United States, by congress, may do any and all acts and things which may be needful and necessary to ensure a speedy completion of the road Now any lawyer knows that when property is conveyed on what is called a condition subsequent, and the grantor specifies what he may do in case the conditions are not complied with he has no power to do something else not specified in the conveyance The government has thus far carried out the contract on its part without regard to the limit of time The company has gone on building the road and the government has gone on examining and accepting it The lands have been patented as fast as surveyed. On the strength of this action of the government the company has issued bonds which are a lien upon these lands It is perfectly plain that congress cannot now step in and take away these lands thus earned in good faith, and at the same time destroy a large portion of the bondholders The legal question is so clear that the company is not in the least alarmed about the final outcome, and the government itself, by its acts after the time limit expired, is estopped enforcing that part of the contract."

The Markets

NEW YORK, March 10 —Money easy, 1¼ to 2—prime paper 4 to 5½, sterling exchange steady 4 87, demand 4 90, governments firm, railways firm, state securities dull Speculation at the stock exchange was tame to-day Union Pacific, however, was a feature in early trading and advanced The scarcity of stock is partly due to the closing of the books for dividend purposes and partly to the calling in of loaned stock. Compared with Saturday's closing prices are ⅛ to ½ lower, except New York Central, Michigan Central and Canadian Southern, which are ¼ to ⅛ higher Transfers 186,000

The mining market opened active and weak and prices declined during the morning In the afternoon there was slight improvement for some stocks Robinson sold at 37, Hall Anderson 1 35 and 1 30, Iron Mountain 1 50 to 1 55, Eureka 3 25, Grand Prize 10, Sutro 15 and 14, Caledonia 19, Breece 15, Consolidated Virginia 20 and Sonora 07

Mississippi Floods

VICKSBURG, March 10 The river at Greenville is now at the high water mark of '83 There is a crevasse at Hughes six hundred feet wide and water 20 feet deep pouring through, overflowing all the Sunflower and Yazoo bottoms and encroaching on all low places on the east side of Beer creek, doing more damage than last year The Mississippi Valley railroad bed in Tunica and Coacnia counties is swept away Large numbers of plantations are submerged Very little preparation has been made for planting Indications are that the crops will be very late.

Board of Health Notice.

It is hereby ordered by the Board of Health of the city of Colorado Springs, that in any and every case of contagious or infectious disease within the city it shall be the duty of the person or persons in the care or custody, or the physician if any, having charge of such case, or cases to report the same without delay to the city marshal, who shall immediately proceed to affix in a conspicuous place in front of the premises, where such case or cases may be, a card with the name of the disease printed thereon in large letters, and said card shall be kept in place by the occupants of said premises so long as there is any danger of the spread of the disease therefrom. J. F. HUMPHREY, Mayor,
c-9-3 Chairman of the Board of Health.

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F. S. WINSTON, President

For the Year Ending December 31st, 1883.

ASSETS $101 148 248 25

ANNUITY ACCOUNT

	No	Ann Pay'ts		No	Ann Pay'ts
Annuities in force Jan 1, 1883	55	$19 200 91	Annuities in force Jan 1, 1884	61	$23,134 31
Premium Annuities		171 44	Premium Annuities		3 674 96
Annuities Issued	7	4 433 40	Annuities Terminated	1	537 48
	62	$27 346 75		62	$27 346 75

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

	No	Amount		No	Amount
Policies in force Jan 1 1883	106 214	$359 654 174	Policies in force Jan 1, 1884	110 990	$342 946 032
Risks assumed	11 531	47 810,597	Risks terminated	6 755	24,418 739
	117,745	$407 464 771		117 745	$367 464 771

REVENUE ACCOUNT

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To balance from last account	$92 784 088 08	By paid death claims	$ 5 015 707 00
" premium received	14,457 938 44	matured endowments	2 866,261 73
" interest and rents	6 042 951 45	Total claims—$7,982 068 73	
		annuities	27 661 39
		dividends	3 118 491 60
		surrendered policies and additions	2 831 170 71
		Total paid policy holders $14,049,390 51	
		commissions (payment of current and extinguishment of future)	880,121 91
		premium charged off on securities purchased	465 472 22
		taxes and assessments	346[illegible] 10
		expenses	837 2[illegible] 79
		balance to new account	94 972 108 56
	$111 283 978 07		$111 283 978 97

BALANCE SHEET

To reserve at 4 per cent	$ 95 671,877 00	By bonds secured by mortgages on real estate	$ 48 303,472 31
" claims by death not yet due	908 635 00	" United States and other bonds	25 279 010 00
" premiums paid in advance	22 791 35	" loans on collaterals	15 037 910 00
" agents' balances.	8,479 58	" real estate	8,633,971 69
" surplus and contingent guarantee fund	4 636 462 31	" cash in banks and trust companies at interest	3 403,249 03
		" interest accrued	1 410 588 43
		" premiums deferred, quarterly and semi annual	1 039 929 68
		" premiums in transit, principally for December	140 756 48
	$101,148,248 25		$101 148 248 25

NOTE —If the New York Standard of four and a half per cent interest be used, the surplus is over $12,000 000

From the surplus, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a dividend will be apportioned to each participating policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1884

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Assets $101 148 248 25
NEW YORK, January 18, 1884

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Notice.

The hotel Antlers having come into possession of the undersigned trustees, named in the second mortgage of the company, will be kept open for guests and conducted substantially as heretofore until further notice.

HANSON A. RISLEY,
CHARLES W DRAKE
Trustees,

Colorado Springs, Colo, February 4, 1884

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Coal and Iron company will be held at the principal office of the company at Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the seventh day of April 1884, at 12 o'clock noon The transfer books of the company, for the transfer of stock, will close at 3 p m. on the first day of March next, and remain closed until three days after the adjournment of the meeting

b-22-tf WILLIAM WAGNER, Secretary

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs Investment and Improvement company will be held at the office of said company, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, March 5th, 1884, at 3 o clock p m , for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. A. H PARTRIDGE,
dwb-22-td Secretary

Annual Meeting.

The next annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican National Railway company will be held at the principal office of the company, at Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the 7th day of April, 1884, at 12 o clock noon, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be proper The transfer books of the company, for the transfer of stock, will close on the 15th day of March, 1884, at 3 o clock p. m and remain closed until three days after the final adjournment of the meeting

By order of the board of directors,
JOHN PRATT, Secretary
March 1, 1884 c-4 td

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican National Construction company to elect members of the board of directors and transact such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting will be held at the principal office of the company at Colorado Springs, in the state of Colorado, on the first Monday of April, 1884, at twelve o'clock noon The transfer books of the company for the transfer of stock will be closed on the 15th day of March, 1884, at twelve o'clock noon and remain closed until three days after the final adjournment of such meeting

W. W. NEVIN, Secretary
March 1st 1884 c-4 td

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A. A. McGOVNEY, Trustee
Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado, February 4th, A. D. 1884. wb 9 8

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 1. Leadville mail, for Pueblo, El Moro, West Cliff, Leadville and Kansas City, arrive 11 42 a m, depart 11 47 a m.
" 3 Leadville express, for Pueblo, Kansas City, Leadville, Frisco, Red Cliff, Silverton and New Mexico, and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 10 37 p. m. depart 10.42 p. m
" 7. Pacific express, for Gunnison, Salt Lake, Ogden, San Francisco and all points west, daily, arrive 10 57 p. m., depart 11.00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 2. Denver express, from Leadville, West Cliff, El Moro, Pueblo and Kansas City, arrive 3.45 p. m., depart 3 50 p. m.
" 4 Eastern express, from Red Cliff, Frisco, Leadville, Kansas City, Pueblo and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 8 50 a m., depart 8 55 a m
" 8. Atlantic express, from California, Ogden, Salt Lake, Gunnison and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 6 40, p m, depart 6.44 p m.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

Leave Colo. Springs	Leave Manitou.
9 15 a m	8.30 a. m.
12.05 p. m.	11.05 a. m.
5.00 p. m.	8.15 p. m.

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GOING SOUTH.	GOING NORTH
No. ....0.45 p. m	No. 2 .... 9.30 a. m

Postoffice Bulletin.

The postoffice is open daily from 7 30 a. m. to 7.00 p. m. Sundays from 12 m. to 1 p. m. and from 5.00 to 6 00 p. m Mails arrive and depart as follows:

GOING SOUTH		DEPART.
Via D. & R. G	11 12 a. m.	3 00 p. m.
Via D. & N. O..		5 20 p. m.
GOING NORTH		
Via D. & N. O	9 15 a. m.	
Via D & R. G.	8 25 p. m.	5 20 p. m.
MAIL FROM THE NORTH.		**ARRIVE.**
Via D & R G...... ...	12 00	m. 10.40 p. m.
Via D. & N. O		7.00 p. m.
MAIL FROM THE SOUTH.		
Via D. & N. O..	9.45 a. m.	
Via D. & R. G.	9 50 a. m.	3 55-6.00 "
	DEPART	ARRIVE
Colorado City & Manitou....	11.20 a. m.	12.00 m.
Manitou.. .	3 20 p. m.	8.55 p. m.

Mail for Sunview and Hatton closes Sunday at 8 (0 p m. Arrives Thursday at 6 00 p. m

Mail for Suffolk and Sanborn closes Monday at 12 m , and arrives Saturday at 3 p. m.

Telegraph Office-Hours.

Week days ....8 a. m. to 8 p m
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Prohibitionists Attention

All legal voters in the city of Colorado Springs who are in favor of prohibition and the enforcement of the ordinances of this city, are requested to meet in their respective wards on Saturday March 15, 1884 at eight o'clock p. m , to elect delegates to the prohibition convention, and also to elect one committee man to represent your respective wards on the prohibition committee next year.

The basis of representation is one delegate for each twenty-five votes cast at the last election, which entitles the different wards to delegates as follows:

First ward.	0 delegates.
Second ward	3 "
Third ward	5 "
Fourth ward	7 "

The places of meeting will be as follows:
First ward—Court House hall.
Second ward—Whipple & Roby's shop.
Third ward—A. M. E. church.
Fourth ward—City hall.

You will nominate aldermen for your wards as follows: First ward, one for two years. Second ward, one for one year, and one for two years. Third ward, one for two years Fourth ward, one for one year, and one for two years.

The delegates elected at the ward caucuses will meet in convention at Court House hall, March 22, 1884 at 8 o'clock p m , to nominate candidates as follows:

One candidate for mayor.
" " " city treasurer.
One committeeman for the ensuing year.

L. E. SHERMAN,
H. A. WILSON,
G. H. STEWART,
L. B. FARRAR,
F. L. ROUSE,
Committee.

The W. C. T. U. meets this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

The Hare's Foot Club will hold their first full rehearsal at the opera house to night.

Now that the call for the spring election has been made local politics will begin to stir up a little.

Why should not El Paso county send a large delegation to the wool growers' convention at Denver to-morrow?

Dr. J. W. Lawrence returned from a two weeks' absence at the east last evening. He will resume his practice to-day.

The wool growers of Colorado will hold a convention at Denver to-morrow. El Paso county should be well represented.

Mr. G W. Stoutenburgh, of Lord, Stoutenburg & Co , of Chicago, was in the city yesterday and registered at The Antlers.

Leader Van Osten, of the opera house orchestra, has lost a silver mounted baton which he requests shall be left at this office.

President R. R. Cable, of the Chicago & Rock Island, arrived in the city yesterday in his special car and registered at The Antlers.

Assistant Postmaster Van Dyne reports that judging from the increase of mail matter going and coming business must be on the pick up

The regular fortnightly reception at the rooms of Grace Church association will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. A fine musical programme is promised.

Mr. Orlando Metcalf and family left for St. Augustine, Florida, on the morning Denver & Rio Grande train yesterday, where they will spend some time.

Charlie Walker Jr. and Frank Chaloner are making a regular business of hunting stray horses in Colorado, and any one having strays out would do well to communicate with them.

Colorado was visited by the first rain shower yesterday morning that it has experienced for some time. Showers are very uncommon at this time of the year in Colorado.

As will be seen by the call issued in another column the prohibitionists have called ward caucuses to meet on Saturday night at eight o'clock to elect delegates to the prohibition convention.

Dr. P. D. Sanford returned to Colorado Springs on Sunday night after a week's vacation at Easton. He has not been in the best of health lately, and the change has benefited him materially.

Reserved seats for "Sweetheart" and "Family Failing" will be placed on sale at Howbert Bros.' on Thursday morning. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the meteorological department of Colorado college.

Emma Abbott has cancelled her engagement in Colorado Springs, which announcement will be received with regret by our people. She is a favorite here and could have drawn a paying house.

Judge L. P. Marsh of Denver was in the city yesterday. He came down to act as referee in the case of Elliott vs. the First National bank which is now being heard in Judge Harrison's chambers. It will be continued today.

Information is wanted as to the whereabouts of Mr. William McKissic, or McKissle, thought to be in Colorado. He is from Giles county, Tenn., at Vale's Mills. Any information will be thankfully received by the son of his old slave, Peter Oliver. Address Andrew Anderson, Laredo, Texas.

Mr. C. W. Church, who attended the cocking main in New Orleans during the Mardi Gras festival, brought back with him one of the Blue-Red birds that came out victorious in the pit. There were about four hundred contests and the cock purchased by Mr. Church ranks among the best of them

The case of the People vs. Stewart came up before Justice Pixley yesterday afternoon, Judge Hooke representing the former and Judge Fields the latter. An application was made for a continuance until next Wednesday at two o'clock by the defence on the ground of the absence of a material witness, which was granted.

Out of the nine applicants examined at the quarterly examination of teachers last week there were four 1st grade, two 2d grade, and three 3d grade certificates issued. Mr. Eaton, the county superintendent of schools, informs us that there is a larger percentage of 3d grade certificates than there ought to be. The standard is 1st grade ninety per cent, 2d seventy-five per cent, and 3d sixty-five per cent

The early morning train from the south on the Denver & Rio Grande yesterday morning brought a special car which was switched off at the depot in this city. The car contained Col. Robert G. Ingersoll and ex-Congressman John B. Alley, of Massachusetts, and one of the wealthiest men in the United States. Among the other persons in the party were Murry Nelson and wife, Chicago; I. Newton Baker, Chicago; Mrs. R. G. Ingersoll, Misses Eva and Maude Ingersoll, Mrs. Alley and Miss Emma Alley. After breakfast at The Antlers they drove to Manitou in carriages returning took dinner and left for Denver late in the afternoon by special train. The party has just returned from a visit to Dorsey's ranch in New Mexico.

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